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## REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION AFTER FINAL

This is in response to the Office Action dated May 20, 2008 (Paper No. 20080514, hereinafter referred to as "the final Office Action"), in the above-referenced application. This response is being timely filed on or before the expiration of the shortened statutory period for response, which is set to expire on August 20, 2008.

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Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of all pending claims by the Examiner in light of the following.